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KANSAS CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION

MANHATTAN, Kan. June 5, 2017 – For the week ending June 4, 2017, temperatures averaged near normal across most of the State, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Up to an inch of rain was reported in eastern Kansas and some areas in the west. Operators continued planting, although some areas did report wet soils. There were 5.0 days suitable for fieldwork. Topsoil moisture rated 0 percent very short, 3 short, 83 adequate, and 14 surplus. Subsoil moisture rated 0 percent very short, 3 short, 86 adequate, and 11 surplus.

Field Crops Report: Winter wheat condition rated 9 percent very poor, 17 poor, 31 fair, 37 good, and 6 excellent. Winter wheat coloring was 62 percent, near 66 last year, but ahead of 53 for the five-year average. Mature was 7 percent.

Corn condition rated 2 percent very poor, 7 poor, 30 fair, 56 good, and 5 excellent. Corn planted was 90 percent, behind 97 last year and 96 average. Emerged was 76 percent, behind 86 both last year and average.

Soybeans planted was 59 percent, ahead of 40 last year, and near 57 average. Emerged was 39 percent, ahead of 23 last year, and equal to average.

Sorghum planted was 25 percent, behind 30 last year and 39 average.

Cotton condition rated 0 percent very poor, 0 poor, 11 fair, 87 good, and 2 excellent. Cotton planted was 63 percent, well ahead of 31 last year, and ahead of 56 average.

Sunflowers planted was 19 percent, near 20 last year, and behind 26 average.

Alfalfa hay condition rated 0 percent very poor, 2 poor, 24 fair, 66 good, and 8 excellent. First cutting was 76 percent complete, ahead of 67 last year.

Pasture and Range Report: Pasture and range conditions rated 0 percent very poor, 2 poor, 16 fair, 65 good, and 17 excellent.

Stock water supplies were 0 percent very short, 1 short, 91 adequate, and 8 surplus.

Data for this release were provided at the county level by USDA Farm Service agency and KSU Extension Service.

Access the National publication for Crop Progress and Condition tables at: http://usda.mannlib.cornell.edu/usda/nass/CropProg/2010s/2017/CropProg-06-05-2017.pdf

Access the High Plains Regional Climate Center for Temperature and Precipitation Maps at: http://www.hprcc.unl.edu/maps.php?map=ACISClimateMaps

Access the U.S. Drought Monitor at: http://droughtmonitor.unl.edu/Home/StateDroughtMonitor.aspx?KS

Days Suitable, Soil Moisture and Crop Progress by District For the Week Ending June 4, 2017

	NW	WC	SW	NC	C	SC	NE	EC	SE	STATE
Days Suitable for										
Fieldwork	3.5	6.0	5.8	4.5	4.9	5.8	4.3	3.9	4.8	5.0
Topsoil Moisture	Percent									
Very Short	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Short	3	5	1	1	3	4	6	1	4	3
Adequate	58	79	97	82	86	79	84	87	86	83
Surplus	39	16	2	17	11	17	10	12	10	14
Subsoil Moisture										
Very Short	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Short	7	5	2	1	2	2	4	0	3	3
Adequate	71	86	97	81	83	83	83	88	95	86
Surplus	21	9	1	18	15	15	13	12	2	11
Winter Wheat Coloring	19	26	64	44	76	93	59	87	97	62
Winter Wheat Mature	0	0	6	0	0	15	1	30	38	7
Corn Planted	63	80	97	96	100	96	100	99	98	90
Corn Emerged	28	69	81	70	91	86	93	98	97	76
Sorghum Planted	8	31	34	12	17	33	12	36	50	25

Note: District-level soybean estimates will not be published in 2017 due to lack of external funding.

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